

Remarks/Arguments

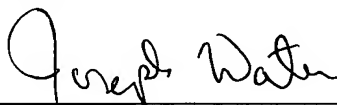
Claims 1-44 were filed in this application. Claims 32-41 have been withdrawn due to a restriction requirement. Claims 21-31 and 42-44 are allowed. Claims 11-20 have been amended.

The Examiner rejected claims 11-20 under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention. Claim 11-20 has been amended to more clearly recite an electroluminescent device containing the phosphor of claim 8.

The Examiner rejected claims 1 and 3-4 under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by U.S. 5,656,815 to Justus et al. ("Justus"). Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the recitation of claims 4 and 5. Claim 5 has been determined to be allowable by the Examiner. Thus, Applicants submit that all pending claims are now allowable.

In view of the foregoing, the Applicants respectfully request that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

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